The Kansas Chief.

SOL. MILLER, ... Editor.

WHITE CLOUD, KANSAS:
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PRESS ASSOCIATION.—The Southern Kansas papers are proposing a meeting of the State Press Association at some point in Southern Kansas, during the present season. Now is a proper time to ask: What is the use of such meetings, or of a State Press Association? A portion of the publishers meet together, and pledge each other to maintain regular rates for work. Then, some fellows who do not attend, or who are imported for the purpose of publishing papers in somebody's interest, go to undermining the prices, in order to secure the public printing, and enable them to eke out a precarious existence. The members of the Association simply resolve themselves out of public work, or break their pledge. For our part, we are resolved to fight these rats with rat medicine, until they get sick of their own game.

A REMINISCENCE.—The Topeka *Record* gives a history of JIM. LANE's proposed great Southern Expedition, in 1861, designed to take possession of the Indian Territory and Texas, form three or four new States, and to colonize Kansas men in them, to be chosen Congressmen and Senators. The *Record* is severe upon the fogyism of Gen. HUNTER, who knocked the scheme in head. That being the case, the country is far more indebted to Gen. HUNTER than it has been aware of. If he nipped in the bud the aspirations of the band of shysters who were to follow LANE South, he did an act for which the country should be grateful. Senator MCDONALD and TOM BOWEN, of Arkansas, Secretary HEATH, of New Mexico, et cetera, are fine specimens of Lane's hangers-on placed in responsible offices.

☞ The Council Grove *Democrat* is considerably astounded at language which "Sol. Miller" has used regarding VALLANDIGHAM, since his death. The Council Grove *Democrat* is informed, that when a decent Democrat dies, "SOL. MILLER" has respect for his memory; but when a brute and ruffian dies, he speaks of him as a brute and a ruffian. That is just what VALLANDIGHAM was, and his being dead cannot change our opinion. Knowing him as we did, having witnessed his demoralizing influence upon the very natures of his followers, and remembering how they, under the inspiration of his teachings, exhibited their fiendish joy over the assassination of Lincoln, we cannot have a particle of pity for his fate, or respect for his memory.

☞ We like to endorse a man with a soul, wherever we find him, and in whatever party. DAVE HOLT, Treasurer of Richardson County, Nebraska, fills the bill in one particular, at least. The Delinquent TAX List is about to be published. The publisher of the Rulo *Register*, in order to prevent a competing newspaper making anything out of it, put in a bid to publish it for nothing; but HOLT gave it to the Falls City *Journal*, at *legal rates*. That is the way to do it. We do not care a continental for the sweet-scented quarrel going on between the two papers; but when any man calling himself a printer undertakes to ruin his own trade to spite a competitor, we like to see them come HOLT over him.

☞ The Leavenworth *Commercial* calls the Neutral Land outlaws, under the lead of SANFORD, the "Kansas Communists." Those are the fellows who petted SID. CLARKE for two years; voted almost solidly the Democratic ticket last Fall, because the Republicans would not pander to their lawless conduct; and have been murdering men and burning newspapers for differing from them. These are all strong symptoms of Communism.

☞ The Leavenworth papers announce the marriage of W. A. LAUGHLIN to Miss SUSIE DICKINSON, of that city, and brag how well they have both done. We could have told them that, easy enough. SUSIE is a subscriber to the *Chief*. That class of girls are always worth looking after, and they always make good selections of husbands. Of course, they have both done well. Our best wishes for Lock Box 313.

☞ "Aphasia" is a disease, of which a late writer treats, in which the person affected, gives utterance to words entirely different from those, he means to speak—in other words, says one thing, but means another. That's what has always been the matter with the Democratic party. "Aphasia" is the name. When they promise the people anything, they always mean something else.

☞ We have received the second number of the Blue Rapids *Times*, hailing from Marshall County, and published by TIBBETS & HALL. This paper probably issued no first number, as we have not heard of anybody who has seen one. We believe this makes four papers published in Marshall County. We wish the *Times* and all the rest of them success.

☞ It is reported that Col. WM. A. PHILLIPS, of this State, is to be appointed Commissioner of Indian Affairs. That would be an appointment fit to be made. Col. PHILLIPS is able and honest; he is thoroughly acquainted with the Indians, their desires, needs, and ways; and all the Indians have faith in him.

☞ JEFF. DAVIS has had another thrilling adventure. He was detected in a woman's berth, in a railway sleeping car, and compelled to crawl out. No doubt the old cuss imagined himself a woman, as he did in the Spring of 1865, and longed for the companionship of his own sex. But he never was a success, as a woman.

☞ The Clerk of Richardson County, Nebraska, has been impeached, and removed from office. The Rulo *Register* says it was done because he is a Democrat. That is a serious charge against a man, we admit; but there were probably other misdemeanors to aggravate the case.

☞ The Doniphan *Democrat* thinks the Democracy of Kansas ought to hold a State Convention, sometime this Summer. For what purpose? Besides, the convicts in the Penitentiary had a holiday, on the Fourth of July, which will answer all practical purposes.

☞ Somebody is publishing a series of articles in the Leavenworth Commercial, to prove that GRANT did not amount to anything as a military man. The writer is probably some fellow who was dismissed from the army by GRANT, for cowardice or incompetence.

☞ Ex-Senator ROSS has written a letter in defense of the franking privilege. He is right. The franking privilege, although subject to gross abuses, ought to stand, as it is of as much benefit to the people as to members of Congress.

☞ The Oxford *Times* comes to us from away down in Sumner County. Published by MUGFORD & HUGHES. It is a wide-awake, readable paper, and deserves a good support. Its local department is unusually full and interesting.

☞ Unless some new sensation occurs in Lawrence soon, there is a possibility that the *Standard* may wear the Modlicott affair thread-bare. It will hardly keep its interest more than a year or two longer.

☞ The Garnett *Plaindealer* mentions that Ex-Governor SAMUEL D. CRAWFORD has been on a visit to that town. This, in a town where the Ex-Governor used to live, may be called fame.

☞ The Elk Falls *Examiner* records the brutal murder of A. F. LEE. From the way it is being copied into other papers, the murdered individual is likely to get into somebody's ear.

☞ The Emporia *Tribune* has been enlarged to a nine-column paper, and is printed on new type. The publisher intends to make it a leading paper in Southern Kansas.

HIS HEAD LOCATED.—Judge WEBB, of one of the Southern Kansas District Courts, lately refused to allow a detective to testify, as he did not consider the evidence of a professional liar worth anything. The Manhattan *Nationalist* wants to know what authority the Judge has for calling them professional liars, or rejecting their testimony. Authority or not, if the detective in question was anything like the stripe of scallawags, thieves and cut-throats that overran Kansas, during the war, committing outrages under the authority of detective papers, Judge WEBB did right in rejecting his testimony. They are not fit to associate with respectable men, or to testify against a common felon.

☞ The Topeka *Record* advocates the abolition of the office of State Printer, on the ground that it is an imposition, as the Printer makes too much money, and the office becomes a monopoly. If BAKER had been elected, he never would have made that discovery.

☞ They had a double baby in Boston. It undertook to die, the other day, and one head died some time before the other. The surviving half of the baby no doubt experienced the disadvantage of the dead-head system.

☞ We have received a copy of a paper called the Baxter Springs *Democrat*. It is evidently the workmanship of some fresh devil—at least, it is a "h—ll of a paper."

☞ WEB. WILDER spent the late Fourth of July at humboldt, and says the town looked twice as large as when he was there last. Perhaps he saw double.

☞ The Atchison *Patriot* offers a COTTRELL & BABCOCK power press for sale. When was the name changed?

☞ GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN has gone to Paris, to "reestablish the Commune or be shot."—*Ex.*

Is not that word, beshot, a misprint?

Complimentary.

There are two occasions in the life of an editor, when he likes to have the public, and especially his brethren of the press, speak well of him—when he gets married, and when he brings his paper out in a new dress. On these occasions, he must be pardoned for repeating in his columns the many nice things said of him. We therefore offer no apology for copying the following notices from our exchanges. Printers being the best judges of the matter, we are rejoiced to know that we have been successful in the great object of our ambition—to have the handsomest and one of the best papers in the State:—

The *White Cloud Chief* has been born again. It came to our sanctum last week fresh and new. It has donned a new dress, has been re-arranged in every respect, and presents an appearance for beauty and neatness second to none in the State.

We are glad to be able to note this evidence of prosperity in our worthy *Chief*. Fourteen long years ago, (we well remember the time,) found Sol. Miller, the worthy editor, setting up his type for the first issue where White Cloud now stands, though she already had a few houses. The surroundings of the place was a wild unsettled desert, inhabited only by a tribe of Indians. Through all these years of civilization and development, political strife and discord, the *Chief* has unfaltringly stood up to the work, and has fearlessly, ably and boldly done its duty as a faithful and uncompromising journal. It now reaps its hard earned rewards. This wild country has been changed into a prosperous, glorious garden spot. The busy hum of industry is heard on all hands; the paths of the Indian and Buffalo have been covered with the plow. The old Indian Chief is now taken down from the head of the paper, and the beautiful seal of our great State takes its place. We extend our hearty congratulations to our friend Sol, and hope that the *Chief* will ever be found as true and useful in the future as it has been in the past.—*Hiawatha Dispatch.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us this week all dressed up in the gayest suit of new clothes that is sported by any journal in the State. When we first removed the wrapper we didn't recognize our old friend, and upon closer inspection it was hard to realize that it was the sprightly and regular visitor that had been wont to call on us in the old dingy, musty dress. The columns of the *Chief* have been widened and lengthened, and it is printed with new and beautiful type on handsome white paper. We are glad to know that the *Chief* is prospering, for the perseverance that Sol. Miller has evinced in keeping his paper alive during the last fifteen years, part of which time it was a dead expense on his hands, certainly deserves to meet with success, and this success unlimited. All hail to the *Chief.*—*Marysville Locomotive.*

NICE.—The oldest and best weekly paper published in the State, the White Cloud *Chief*, comes to us this week enlarged and doomed in a new dress. Sol. Miller, its able and talented proprietor, is the veteran editor in Kansas, having published the *Chief* fifteen years. Mr. Miller, in the last paper before the enlargement, says that no less than twenty papers have been started and died in that county since he commenced the publication of the *Chief*. We wish Mr. Miller and his paper every success.—*Washington Republican.*

That old stand-by of straight-forward and honest Republicanism, the White Cloud *Chief*, comes to us sassy and gay in a new dress. We are glad to see the *Chief* looking so clean. Sol. Miller deserves all the success that can come to him, and no man or paper looks better in good clothes than Sol. and his *Chief*.—*Paola Republican.*

We have received No. 1, volume 15, of the White Cloud *Chief*. It is printed upon new type throughout, and has been so thoroughly remodelled in make-up, that the only mark of identity left is in Sol. Miller's pointed, readable editorials. The *Chief* says that twenty-one papers have been started in that county, with the view of running the *Chief* out, and that every one of them has gone to the shade. Sol. is one of the newspaper successes of the West, and we enjoy the pride we know he must feel upon the appearance of his new issue. It looks as though he had made an attempt to steal the typographical gem which adorns the head of this paper. The *Chief* is handsome.—*Junction City Union.*

We have received No. 1, Vol. 15, of the White Cloud *Chief*, which appears in a new dress, and considerably enlarged. The typographical appearance is fine, and the style of "make up" somewhat different from most country papers. The number before us has an immense amount of reading matter, and if it be kept up, will be apt to take some of the surplus change the proprietor has laid by. The *Chief* has always been ably edited, and its editor's name is a household word, almost, in Kansas. The *Chief* is the oldest paper in the State. It must have taken more than ordinary pluck to have published a paper in a place like White Cloud for so long a time. Here's hoping that Father Miller may be as lively fourteen years from now as he is to-day.—*Concordia Empire.*

The *Kansas Chief* comes to us in nice new clothes, which, although they do not appear at all dandified, are nevertheless quite elegant. It is enlarged, the heading is changed, the great seal of the State displaces the Indian, the amount of reading matter is very largely increased, the type is all new, and the *Chief*, an old friend, is as thoroughly "checked up," that we could scarcely recognize it until we had got quite a distance into the leading editorial, "How do you like us." Then we knew that it could be none other than Solomon's *Chief*. May the chiefest prosperity chiefly be yours, Solomon of the *Chief*.—*Emporia Tribune.*

The White Cloud *Chief*, bereft of the old apparel, and without the sage looking "login" gazing adown the water fall, comes once more to us clothed in rich robes, enlarged in width and length, and with a good looking head letter. The *Chief* is now one of the best looking papers in the State; with as good a man at the helm as can be found anywhere. If the people of White Cloud don't do their "level best" to support such a splendid looking sheet, they ought not to have any newspaper. "Hail to the *Chief*," &c.—*Salina Journal.*

The White Cloud *Chief* celebrates its fifteenth birth-day in an entirely new dress, and makes a most fascinating appearance. New news type, new advertising and job type, new press, new "make up," all unite in presenting one of the best papers, mechanically, in this or any other State, and with its never tiring engineer Sol. Miller as editor, the *Chief* can pledge itself to the enjoyment of a newspaper life for another voyage. The *Chief* is one of our most valued and reliable exchanges. Long may she wave.—*Labette Sentinel.*

The White Cloud *Chief* made its appearance last week in a new dress, and considerably enlarged. The type and all material is entirely new, and the paper is now one of the largest and handsomest in the State. Its editor certainly deserves success after making the improvements he has. We would advise any body wishing a good paper to subscribe for the *Chief*.—*Kickapoo Reporter.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us this week in a bran new dress. Sol. Miller is a fearless writer and we wish him success, which he will achieve of course, financially and otherwise.—*Louisville Reporter.*

The White Cloud *Chief* is out in a new dress, completely disguising itself to all old friends. It is handsome, and doesn't "blow," which is a further recommendation.—*Parker Record.*

Last week Sol. Miller bid adieu to his old type, and this week the *Chief* comes out in a new dress. Its appearance is very fine, and it is one of the best papers in the State.—*Paola Spirit.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us in new dress, printed on new type—two numbers close together, a fault of Uncle Sam's mails. It is very neat in appearance, and a worthy specimen of Bro. Miller's good taste. The *Chief* is one of the oldest papers in Kansas, the oldest, we believe, without change of name or ownership, the *Independent* being second in that particular in the State. We remember Mr. Miller as publisher in Ohio, and have marked his course since he came to Kansas. He has made his mark, and is one of the leading newspaper men of the Central State. We are pleased to see this evidence of his prosperity, and wish him abundant success.—*Ottawa Independent.*

KEPT HIS WORD.—A few weeks since Sol. Miller, of the White Cloud *Chief*, told his readers that the old type had done service enough, and the *Chief* would appear in a new dress. On the evening of the Fourth of July, we received the next number published after this promise, and found that he had more than fulfilled it. It was enlarged, printed in an elegant manner, and more spicy than ever. Several members of the craft from abroad were present at our office at the time, and the *Chief* mysteriously disappeared when they did, although not before we had seen its contents. Sol. Miller has a place in the front rank of the editors of Kansas, and we congratulate him on having the finest looking paper in the State.—*Girard Press.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us in a regular "bridal dress." Sol. is as delighted as ever was a father at the announcement of "happy delivery—a fine boy—mother and child doing splendidly," and we feel like "hollering" too. Hurrah for the *Chief*, for Sol. Miller, for "old reliable," the Union, the Constitution, and everything and everybody that's worth the tenth part as much as Sol. and his fearless and independent journal.—*Leavenworth Bulletin.*

Sol. Miller's White Cloud *Chief* comes to hand this week in an entire new dress. It is a beautiful new sheet. Without increasing the number of columns he has materially enlarged his paper, giving it the appearance of a literary journal in its make up. As to our marks and peculiar characteristics, the new *Chief* is a chip of the old one.—*Eldorado Times.*

Sol. Miller's newly dressed paper, the *Chief*, is on our table, as bright and as new and clean as a 15 year old girl with her face just washed in dew.—*Eaton (O.) Register.*

The White Cloud (Kan.) *Chief*, one of our earliest, most regular and most highly prized exchanges, comes out in a beautiful new dress, and we rejoice with Sol. at the improved appearance.—*Lincoln (Neb.) Journal.*

Sol. Miller brought his *Chief* out in a bran new dress last week, and he looks beautiful. It must have taxed Sol's genius to get him to look so nice. The pale-faced women will certainly all fall in love with him.—*Germantown (O.) Dollar Times.*

THE WHITE CLOUD CHIEF.—This old, ably conducted and influential journal made its appearance last week in a beautiful new dress, considerably enlarged, and presenting such an altered appearance that we could not recognize it. The *Chief*, with that number, enters upon its sixteenth year. It is the oldest paper in Kansas, and the only one that has been published for a longer time than *The Champion* by the same proprietor. We are glad to see this evidence of the *Chief's* prosperity. If there is an editor in Kansas who deserves to succeed, certainly Sol. Miller, the able editor of the *Chief*, does. He has labored for fifteen years with unexpansed energy, industry, pluck and persistence, often through the darkest adversity, to keep the *Chief* alive, and has succeeded where very few men would. He is a strong and fluent writer, independent and fearless in his expressions, and having a large experience in the newspaper business. To these qualities he adds what so many men lack, untiring industry and persistent application to his work. We repeat that we are glad to chronicle the *Chief's* prosperity, and wish its editor long continued and much abused good fortune. He deserves, and we shall always be pleased to know that he enjoys, the widest measure of prosperity.—*Atchison Champion.*

In referring to his new dress, the editor of the White Cloud *Chief* says: "Having new labored at our great for the full number of years that Jacob served for Leah and for Rachel, shall we not begin to gather in the fat cattle, ringed, streaked and speckled? the rings figuratively represented by 10, 100, and 1000, the streaks of green, and speckled with the stripes of rejoicing? We certainly think we will. Sol. We *know* you should. But whether the people of Kansas ever propose allowing an editor to do more than keep out of jail or the poor-house is "onsartin."—*Leavenworth Bulletin.*

HWITE KLOUD CHIEF.—Sol Miller, of the Hwite Kloud *Chief*, has got new type for his paper, widened his column, and made it really a pattern paper, indeed one of the handsomest in the West. The *Chief* is the oldest paper in the State, having been published without any interregnum for fourteen years, and Sol. would be ungrateful if he omitted a little, spell theater with the e before the r, and hwite with the h before the w, as they are sounded, and Kloud, Konkordia, Kickapoo, and such words with a k instead of a c, he would be about right.—*Wyandotte Gazette.*

There is still hope for us. We have commenced spelling Kickapoo with a K. When we get the hang of that rightly, we may venture upon some of the other reforms.

WHITE CLOUD CHIEF.—Our White Cloud neighbor is evidently on the high road to prosperity—we hereat we rejoice. Mr. Miller's *Chief* came to us last week in a bran new garment. The old clothes, having fulfilled their mission, are cast aside and everything has become new. The new body and advertising type make it look as healthy and as musical as a young Tyrolean mountaineer. We congratulate the White Cloud *Chief* on the success it has achieved, in the midst of adversity and opposition. And may it never cease to dance to the music of the Union!—*Holt County (Mo.) Sentinel.*

The White Cloud *Chief* has come out in its new dress, having thrown away its old type used fifteen years. The paper looks finely now.—*Waterville Telegraph.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes out in a new and stylish dress and does not seem at all like the *Chief* of the last fourteen years, but by reading it a person finds out that Sol. Miller still controls its columns. It presents an original appearance, typographically, but is tasty and attractive, and one cannot look at it without thinking of Sol. The *Chief* is the oldest newspaper in Kansas. Since its establishment it has seen the birth and fall of twenty-four papers in Doniphan county alone. Miller has had a long row to hoe and many obstacles to encounter, but taken altogether he has shown himself to be the most tenacious, capable, straightforward and narrow-minded Republican in the State. His merit deserves ample reward. There is no doubt in our mind that Sol. Miller will be the next State Printer, unless something unexpected turns up.—*Neodesha Citizen.*

Thanking the *Citizen* for its good wishes, we are of the opinion that something will "turn up." We are satisfied with running for State Printer, and will let somebody else try it next time.

NEW CLOTHES.—Sol. Miller commences the celebration of the Fourth by rigging up his pet, *The White Cloud Chief*, in an entire new dress. The *Chief*, though but a country weekly, has a reputation which is not limited within the boundary of Kansas. Mr. Miller has long been recognized as one of the leading editors in the State, and has stuck to the mast-head and narrow-cloth of Republicanism through evil as well as good report, and we are glad to see such evidences of prosperity as to enable him to enlarge the *Chief* and clothe it so finely on this, its 15th birth-day. Success to the neatest weekly newspaper in the State.—*Howard County Ledger.*

The White Cloud *Chief* appeared last week clothed in new habiliments from head to foot. It is a handsome sheet, full of reading matter, but we do not believe that even Mr. Miller desires to fill up the same space with reading matter every week. The *Chief* is one of the landmarks in the history of Doniphan county, and the people, particularly of White Cloud, for which it has done much, should give it a good support.—*Troy Republican.*

WHITE CLOUD CHIEF.—This wide-awake paper comes to us enlarged and in new dress, with a new heading, looking as bright as a new silver dollar. Mr. Miller has the honor of publishing the oldest paper printed in this State, and we need not add, a good one. We recognize the *Chief* as one of the prominent head-lights of journalism, and its editor a staunch, earnest and able Republican. Besides being one of the best looking "ink slingers" in Kansas, May 20 live a thousand years, and get rich conducting so good a paper as the *Chief*.—*Burlington Patriot.*

The "WHITE CLOUD CHIEF" was received by us last week in a new dress. Its columns were enlarged and lengthened, so that it is equal now to an eight column paper. We congratulate the editor Sol. Miller upon his success, he certainly deserves it, for he is true to his principles and fearless in uttering them. We hope he will receive the support which he so richly deserves, and success will attend his every undertaking.—*Olathe News Letter.*

The White Cloud *Chief* commences its Fifteenth Volume, with an entire new dress, and widening and lengthening of the columns. The Indian which was and has been appropriate as the figure head (vignette) of the *Chief* is now as appropriately supplanted by the State seal. The paper presents a fine appearance, and adds greatly to the credit deservedly acquired by Sol., (we mean Sol. Miller, not "Old Sol,") as an editor and publisher. May he increase and prosper.—*Hamilton (O.) Union.*

The White Cloud *Chief* is before us in its new dress, and it looks so dazzling and gaudy that we can hardly believe it is Sol. Miller's old *Chief*. The columns have been widened and lengthened, and the print throughout is from new and beautiful types. A new and handsome head announces the elegant body. The railroad has caused the *Chief* to put on style and the citizens of White Cloud to believe in school houses.—*Topeka Commonwealth.*

That "old reliable" newspaper, the White Cloud *Chief*, whose editor and proprietor, the witty, wide-awake Sol. Miller, never forgets to put on the very best dress on occasions, has thrown off the battle-worn harness, and comes to us this week in new and beautiful gala-dress, significant of prosperity and evidence of a proud appreciation on the part of those who receive its weekly visits. The *Chief* is now a model of typographic beauty, and we wish "Sol." much joy of his new-born.—*Irving Recorder.*

We are glad to notice that Sol. Miller has made a 'raise,' as is apparent from the dress in which the *Chief* appears. We believe that this is the oldest newspaper published in the State, and certainly it is one of the best. Success to you Sol., and may your shadow never grow less.—*Olathe Mirror.*

The White Cloud *Chief*—not an Indian, but the spiciest, clearest cut and sharpest cornered newspaper in Northern Kansas—comes to us in a bran new dress. It is a nervy sheet.

"Hail to the Chief, who in triumph advances!"
—*Chetopa Advance.*

The White Cloud *Chief* has been enlarged and clothed with a new dress throughout. It is now one of the handsomest papers in the State. Its editor, Sol. Miller, is the spiciest squibber in the State, and knows how to compile a readable paper. The department of State news is called with great care and is a model within itself.—*Oswego Register.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us this week in the new dress Sol. Miller has labored so incessantly for fifteen years to obtain. We sincerely hope that the next fifteen years may bring its indomitable editor the prosperity and happiness he so justly deserves.—*Oxford Times.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes out, now, in a superb new dress, and is an interesting paper and stanch Republican journal. *Vive la White Cloud!*—*Holton News.*

The *Kansas Chief*, Sol. Miller, editor, has enlarged and arrayed itself in a handsome dress of new print from new material. It is now one of the handsomest weeklies Kansas can boast.—*North Topeka Times.*

The White Cloud *Chief* on its first appearance in its new dress is about the neatest looking sheet in Kansas. Being one of the oldest and truest papers of the State, we most heartily rejoice in its prosperity.—*Minneapolis Independent.*

The White Cloud *Chief* comes to us enlarged and in a new dress, looking as clear and pretty as a young miss, dressed for a ball. We are pleased to note this evidence of prosperity, and hope "Sol" Miller may live long to enjoy it.—*La Cygne Journal.*

The White Cloud *Chief*, according to promise, has appeared in its new dress, and is now one of the handsomest and best papers in the whole State of Kansas.—*Mound City Sentinel.*

The White Cloud *Chief* has ended its fourteenth annual volume, and comes the handsomest paper in the State.—*Iola Register.*

Sol. Miller's White Cloud *Chief* looks splendiferous in its new dress.—*Topeka Record.*

We should not omit the left-handed compliments. They number just two, and here they are:

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